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SUBJECT: CIVAIR: MEXICO PROPOSES ELIMINATION CANADIAN PACIFIC  
AIRLINES FIFTH FREEDOM RIGHTS.

1. CANADIAN EMBOFF CONFIDENTIALLY INFORMED TCO THAT GOM HAS PROPOSED THAT ALL FIFTH FREEDOM RIGHTS BETWEEN THEIR TWO COUNTRIES BE ELIMINATED. GOM HAD UNEXPECTEDLY CALLED MEETING WITH GOC IN MEXICO CITY TWO WEEKS AGO UNDER TERMS OF THEIR BILATERAL. AT FIRST GOM SPOKESMAN DGAC JOSE RODRIGUEZ TORRES PROPOSED THAT MEXICO WOULD GIVE UP ITS CURRENT TWO FIFTH FREEDOMS (MEXICO/MONTREAL/MADRID - CURRENTLY BEING USED BY IBERIA; AND MEXICO/VANCOUVER/ASIA - NOT BEING USED) IN EXCHANGE FOR A NEW FIFTH FREEDOM MEXICO/TORONTO/LONDON OR STUTTGART. WHEN CANADIANS INDICATED RELUCTANCE, GOM THEN PROPOSED ELIMINATION ALL FIFTH FREEDOMS INCLUDING CANADIAN PACIFIC AIRLINES' MONTREAL-TORONTO/MEXICO/LIMA AND BEYOND.

2. CANADIANS INTERPRET PROPOSAL FOR MEXICO/TORONTO/BEYOND AS A RUSE TO ACCOMPLISH REAL GOM OBJECTIVE TO SECURE ALL AIR SERVICE SOUTH OF MEXICO FOR MEXICAN AIR CARRIERS. GOC NOTED TO GOM THAT TERMINATION ITS FIFTH FREEDOM WOULD FORCE IT TO REDUCE FREQUENCY AND HURT TOURISM TO MEXICO. MEETING ADJOURNED AFTER TWO  
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